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"Listen or your tongue will keep you deaf."---Native American Proverb

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President's Message December, 2009

I hope that this message finds you all well and looking forward to the rest of 2009! Time does fly by and trying to keep in touch with what's going on with my fellow numismatists has been a challenge. I haven't been able to attend as many club meetings or functions as I would like. But still enjoying the great programs and all your Show-N-Tells.

So in January I was able to make it to the Fremont Coin Club installation dinner at the Spin-A-Yarn restaurant where I had the privilege of presenting Gary Acquistapace with one of the 2008 'President's Medal', then attended the San Jose Coin Club coin show at the San Jose Fairgrounds and then I was requested by the Fairfield Coin Club to swear in their 2009 Officers and proudly administered the oath at their monthly meeting.

February found me at the Redwood Empire Coin Club at the Santa Rosa Fairgrounds and attending their dinner at a Chinese 'All You Can Eat Buffet' restaurant (Boy, they sure didn't make money on all us big eaters!). We had Walter Ostomecki, A.N.A. Governor joined us at our table which we considered an honor, we had plenty of food and laughs, a great time was enjoyed by all.

In March I attended the Livermore Valley Coin Club coin show held at the Elks Lodge, it looked like a good turn out and Sharon Kramer and Gang put out a great luncheon. Like I always say, numismatics and food seem to go hand and hand....

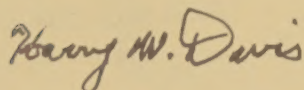
We are looking for nominations for the NCNA 2009 'Ron Miller Award', please send your letters of nominations to my attention at 2900 Georgia Street, Vallejo, Ca 94591-6602.

The 2009 NOR-CAL Show is set for September 26-27th at the Elk's Lodge #559 in Vallejo and the Vallejo Numismatic Society has agreed to be the host club. NCNA puts out a coin show list which is a free service to the numismatic community, listing is updated quarterly. If your club has an upcoming show send information early to: NCNA, Fred G van den Haak, P. O. Box 60484, Palo Alto, Ca. 49306-0484 or e mail to fredvdh@gmail.com

Please join me in keeping long time friend to all, Gordon Donnell in our thoughts as he under goes treatment for lung cancer - THINKING OF YOU GORDON!

You just can't beat the good times, with the friendship of fellow numismatists, along with expanding your knowledge of the hobby. Hopefully I will see you and get acquainted at all the other upcoming club shows or functions. As I always say, support your local clubs, don't just let the other guy do it all, for you too can enjoy the fruits of your labors! Until we meet again, I remain

Yours sincerely,



Harry W. Davis, President

MINTMASTER'S QUILL: An Editor's Prerogative

My Friends:

It has been ten (10) years since May 1999, when I, along with a few others, officiated the last rites for the Napa Valley Coin Club (January 1961—May 1999). Those rites, at the last meeting on May 21, 1999, were proper, and even had laughs. We cleaned-out the two lockers, and found 'stuff' along forgotten or thought lost. A nice final meal---*maybe like the final supper that a condemned Death Row inmate enjoys*---was held. Brief cases, refreshment supplies, paper, albums, a nicely home made all metal drawing drum, and the like were distributed. We said some words. We shared some memories. We eat, and then we went home. That Was It. And, We Went Home.

Oh, a few weeks later, I received some official notification from the State of California, and I packed and parceled archives and history off to the dust and darken basement shelves of the American Numismatic Association (ANA). A thin blue binder of that official notification with some copies was Dymo-labeled and placed on my shelf, among the rest of my archives. That Was It. And, the Napa Valley Coin Club was dead, and remains dead.

As I wrote then, I again write now: 'there are no cemeteries for dead coin clubs. There is no Memorial Day---Decoration Day---for dead coin clubs. There are no funeral services or wakes nor sympathy cards for dead coin clubs. There, sadly, are no mourners for dead coin clubs.' And, I add, today, no one places flowers or pauses a thought at whatever the grave or memorial could be for the Napa Valley Coin Club.

In the March 10, 2009 NUMISMATIC NEWS, my 'Mintmaster's Quill', with some introduction and conclusion, from the September 1999 NCNA HEADS AND TALES was printed in that issue's Viewpoint. It sparked some reactions that have reached me, and those thoughts, those rebuttals, are all true and correct. Just as the truth, the whole and nothing but truth, remains that the Napa Valley Coin Club is dead, still dead, and long dead.

My argument then---'*a living is what you get of out life; yet, a life is what you gave*'---remains. Ten years cannot change that conclusion. The primary factor, the main failure, and candid fact is that too many Napa Valley Coin Club members, from exulted officers and leaders to the least just paid dues member, refused to assist, even when the final calls came for help---*like the 'Titanic' and the dots-and-dashes of a SOS, there were calls, even pleas for rescue*---and they simply went home.

If my argument cannot convince you, then I submit something written by Randy Guberman, whom I have and may never meet, who reacted and retorted with some thoughts in the April 2009 SILVER BUGLE of the International Association of Silver Art Collectors (IASAC). He made a plea for IASAC; yet, his theme is universal. I would like to share his closing passages:

I cannot express how important it is for more of you to get and to stay involved. Share a story with us; bring a new member into the Club, so we may continue to grow. We cannot become a statistic. We cannot allow our Club to die. I like to use the expression, one of my favorites, 'People Helping People', 'PHP'. So, let us keep our coin clubs alive. Show how much you care. Stay involved! Stay healthy! And, until next time, be happy!

Randy's key word is 'Care'. If the Napa Valley Coin Club members, *including myself*, 'cared', there would still be on the Third Wednesday, most likely still at the American Legion Hall on Pearl Street, in Napa, California, a local coin club. Randy with all his simple wisdom has condensed the ultimate lesson of why the Napa Valley Coin Club died and why our world remains plague with tragedies. We forget, or we refuse, '*to care*'.

Nothing can add to and nothing can distract from the power of 'to care'. It says it all.

Remember: Have Fun With Your Hobby! Always Serve Others! Enjoy Your Collecting! And, Create Hope!

Numismatically Yours,

Michael S. Turrini, F.R.C.N.A.
Editor

GOLD MINER DIGGINGS: NCNA News and Happenings

NOR-CAL VIII COIN SHOW

Reminder: **Nor-Cal VIII Coin Show**

Saturday and Sunday, September 26 and 27, 2009

Saturday, 10:00 AM To 5:00 PM and Sunday, 10:00 AM To 4:00 PM

Vallejo Elks Lodge #559, Banquet Room

**2850 Redwood Parkway, off Admiral Callaghan and I-80 via Redwood Street Exit
Vallejo, California**

Bourse: Harry W. Davis
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707-246-0216

Bourse Inquiries: Contact Harry W. Davis **DIRECTLY!**

Lodging: There are several hotels/motels within a mile and less of the Vallejo Elks Lodge #559, and on both sides of I-80, with various room rates. For those seeking lodging, please 'Google' for hotels and motels in Vallejo, California or 'Google' 'Vallejo Convention and Visitors Bureau' for assistance.

Program: A Youth Table, Drawing (raffle), Collector Meetings, plus Hobby Information and American Numismatic Association (ANA) Tables are anticipated.

The September 2009 NCNA HEADS AND TALES should have all the specifics and schedule for this two-day gathering. President Harry W. Davis welcomes all NCNAers to attend and to enjoy Nor-Cal VIII.

2009 Miller Medal

As President Harry W. Davis noted in his 'President's Message', written nominations are now called for this esteemed honor. The deadline is June 30, 2009.

Enclosures

As a service to NCNA Club Members and northern California numismatics, NCNA HEADS AND TALES will gladly include Order Forms, fliers, and the like. With this issue, the Order Form for the Vallejo Numismatic Society's 'USS New York' Medal is enclosed, along with the roster of its 'Renn Auction', 'Big Book Bash', set for June 3, 2009. *Please Note:* This assistance is open to any and all northern California coin clubs, not just the ones that Your Editor might have contact with. All that is asked is to provide the necessary number of enclosures and to deliver same in-time to be included. Mail to 'PO Box 4104, Vallejo, California, 94590-0410'. Deadline for the September 2009 NCNA HEADS AND TALES is August 1st.

CALIFORNIA NUMISMATIST

As most NCNAers have known, Your Editor, this past ten years or so, has doubled as an Assistant Editor for the CALIFORNIA NUMISMATIST. Well, with his election as the new California State Numismatic Association (CSNA) President coupled with other duties, a new Assistant Editor has been appointed. He is **Jeff Shevlin**, from Sacramento, California. Announcement will be made to CSNA Club Members and others; however, it is noted here as 'heads-up'. The convenience of contacting only-once to one person soon ends. **Jeff** can be reached at '7737 Fair Oaks Blvd., Suite #250, Carmichael, California, 95608-1787'. Local coin clubs are also asked to continue mailing respective newsletters/bulletins and New Releases to 'PO Box 4104, Vallejo, California, 94590-0410'.

BRANCH MINT REPORTS: NCNA Coin Club Happenings

What's Up? How Are Things 'cook'n'? Among my passions, now into retirement, are the classic Hollywood Studio Era movies. Recently, my close associate and fellow friend plus amicable acquaintance, 'Doctor' Lloyd G. Chan----who is a 'closet' coin hobbyist----gave me the DVD for the legendary 'Sunset Boulevard'. If you have never seen that classic and great black-and-white film, you are missing something in life and living. Another passion of mine is the more current 'Into The Wild', the movie about Christopher Johnson McCandless, and that has become a powerful message movie to me. Now, what do these two movies have to do with NCNA HEADS AND TALES? Nothing! Except, I wish I owned the palace that is the scene for 'Sunset Boulevard' and I wish I could walk and wander the whole entire Western United States, on foot! Oops! Sadly, I would have to return to Vallejo, California periodically for doing and editing NCNA HEADS AND TALES. *Well, So Much For My Dreams!*

Alameda Coin Club Two ACC members have had recent short talks: **Kenny Keltz** spoke on 'What Is In A Date?' at the Club's March 3, 2009 meeting, and **Alan Kraemer** reviewed Civil War Tokens at the April 7, 2009 meeting. **Kenny's** talk was based upon "the United States Notes that he was given as payment at work for merchandise." Earlier, **Tom Gesner** spoke on 'Collecting Carson City Coins On A Budget' at the February 3, 2009 meeting: "**Tom's** speech was informative and entertaining." ACC's THICK AND THIN TIMES Editor **Robert G. Sturn** had a good, short push for 'Show 'n Tells': "let us know what is going on with you and the hobby." Nothing Better Says It All!

California Exonumist Society *First*, the CES will again gather during the Golden State Coin Show, on Saturday, August 22, 2009, at Noon, in the Arcadia Masonic Center, 50 West Durante Road, across from the Santa Anita Park and Golf Course, in Arcadia, California. This is noted for NCNAers living in the southern California region or who might be driving down I-5 or Highway 99. *Second*, the speaker will be **Albertus 'Al' Hoogveen**, with his passion for Lewis and Clark. He was originally the intended and invited speaker back in August 2007; but, due to miscommunication was unable to speak. *Third*, with the success of the CES' Fund-Raising Auctions, another is planned, and lots have already been donated, for this upcoming gathering. Since the next issue of NCNA HEADS AND TALES would be after this August 22, 2009 gathering, information about CES, its Golden State Coin Show events, and the 'Fund-Raising Auction' may be obtained by contacting me at 'PO Box 4104, Vallejo, California, 94590-0410' or emailed to either EMPERORI@juno.com or Turrini@money.org. Speaking of CES and those active and well-known here around northern California, CES President **Michael S. Turrini** in January 2009 honored these three with framed CES 'President's Citations of Commendation': **Briita M. Ehlers** and **Donald S. Ehlers** plus **Lyle Okamoto**, all are well-versed and well-established in exonumia.

Cupertino Coin Club Well, I Like Visiting The CCC. Why? Because if the weather is nice and warm plus bright and clear skies, Your Editor can combine 'going to the beach' with CCC on the Second Fridays! *Wow! LOL!* Last February 22, 2009, in his capacity as the Youth Numismatist Coordinator for our compatriot California State Numismatic Association (CSNA), Your Editor staffed, along with **Gordon R. Donnell**, a 'Youth Table' and did a 'State Quarter Search', at the CCC's Thirty-Seventh (37th) Annual Coin Show. CCC is well-represented in CSNA: **Michael S. Turrini** is the current President, with **Ronald Izhizaki** and **Alvin H.W. Lo**, North Directors. At the January 2009 combination San Jose Coin Club's Show and CSNA semiannual Convention, held on the Santa Clara County Fairgrounds, **Alvin H.W. Lo** claimed the CSNA's Best of Show Award, 'the G. Lee Kuntz Award', with his 'America In Space: Young Astronaut Medals'. **Briita M. Ehlers** took the Third Place with her 'Washington State Trade Tokens'. Going back to December 2008 and speaking about **Alvin H.W. 'Happy Warrior' Lo**, American Numismatic Association (ANA) President **Barry S. Stuppler**, via ANA Governor **Dr. Walter A. Ostromecki, Jr.**, presented him with an ANA 'President's Citation'. *Note:* **Lyle Okamoto** is the CCC's monthly COIN PRESS Editor, and he doubles also as the Editor for the monthly San Francisco Coin Club's TWO CENTS WORTH.

Delta Coin Club DCC Is Another Local Coin Club I Like Visiting. Why? It meets on Fridays, and Saturdays were always a day Your Editor did not have to arise at 3:00 AM! The big recent program at the DCC's semimonthly meetings was last March 20, 2009 when **John P. Russell, Jr.** brought his famous and always well-received '*Coin Grading Clinic*': "the program was grading United States coins, gold, silver, and brass. Each member was presented a sheet of paper listing all the coins by an assigned number, and each member was to grade the coin via American Numismatic Association (ANA) standards, but no books allowed . . . after everyone finished their individual grading, **John** went over each piece and answered questions about the grading for each individual coin. It was a great program and the first time that we have ever had such an experience. Big thanks to **John** and **Michael S. Turrini**, for driving **John** to Stockton, California to present this different type program. Thanks!" Looking ahead, the DCC will have its Annual Hot-Dog Night on Friday, May 15, 2009, with **Syd Kass'** world-famous chili and beans. Regretfully, Your Editor cannot attend---and miss that chili and beans!---for the same night is the Vacaville Unified School District's (VUSD) Annual Retirement and Honor Gala. Even being retired, Your Editor is still involved: photographer, drawing, and whatever else. Also, another upcoming event for the DCC is its Annual Auction, coordinated by Past President **Tony Rantz**, for September 2009. Donations are sought and solicited.

Diablo Numismatic Society The DNS held its Forty-Ninth (49th) Annual Banquet last March 18, 2009 at Concord, California's Marie Calendar's. A nice crowd was present, as **James H. Laird**, current President and **Michael M. 'Steamer' Stanley**, the Master of Ceremonies, facilitated an evening with food, fellowship, and fun. James recognized several DNS members with special awards, and the highlight of the Banquet was the induction as the newest DNS '*Fellow of the Society*', **William G. 'Bill' Green**. Congratulations! Earlier at the DNS' February 19, 2009 meeting, **Jeannie Patterson** and **Carleen Vinum**, from the Concord Police Department gave a nice review for '*Home Security*'. They noted these precautions to burglary prevention and property protection: *keep your lawn clean and shrubs low, have a metal door, make friends with your neighbors, make note of any strange individuals in the neighborhood as well as license plate numbers, have a dog, keep your vehicle locked even when in the garage and hide keys in the house, change the code to your automatic garage door periodically, keep the garage door opener out of sight, have a safe deposit box, catalog your collections, notify the local police of any extended vacation, and avoid conversations with unknown door-to-door sales personnel.* Earlier, at the January 15, 2009 meeting, **Chuck Nikkel** spoke on '*Collecting Key Type United States Coins*': "he discussed 20th Century coins, Barber coins, Gold coins, and what makes a coin scarce. He advised to be on the lookout for counterfeit coins and always buy quality coins. He had a great interaction with those in the audience."

Fairfield Coin Club Years ago, the FCC was identified as that 'local coin club that likes to eat'! Recently, the FCC at its March 25, 2009 meeting held its Annual George Flannagan White Elephant Memorial Auction, which earned the Club \$322.00. Donors were: **William F. Bartz, John and Sandy Bearden, Ernest E. Drake, Herman E. Berry, Jr., Gary Balanza, George Locatelli, 'Chuck' Luce, Jan D. Henke, Robert E. Luna, Jon Maria Marish, John P. Russell, Jr., Kevin Quenga, First Northern Bank of Dixon, California, and Michael S. Turrini.** The following April 22, 2009 meeting had **Thomas Smith**, from Napa, California, speak on '*Mercury Dimes*', and the FCC celebrated several birthdays, compliments of **Michael S. Turrini**, whose Sixtieth (60th) Birthday was the following day, April 23rd. Great Food, Snacks, With Cake and Ice Cream. Looking ahead, the FCC's Show is on August 16, 2009, and the Club has adopted an enticement to sell or to buy Drawing (raffle) Tickets. The Show will again be at the Fairfield Community Center, Willow Room, 1000 East Kentucky, off Pennsylvania, in the Civic Center Complex. Information may be contacted at 707-644-6332.

Fresno Numismatic Society As Your Editor has noted before FRESNO NUMISMATIST Editor **Randy Clifton** always begins the monthly newsletter with some interesting facts: "these days there seems to be a lot of interest in gold, be it coins or the raw metal. In contrast to it being a precious metal

worth a pricey sum, it has several other unique characteristics that I discovered on 'goldfacts.com'. For instance, it is very malleable; so that it can be hammered out flat so thin that sunlight can pass through it. So thin, that it would take 250,000 of these thin sheets stacked together to make a stack one inch thick. One ounce of gold can be hammered flat to make a sheet one hundred square feet. One ounce of gold can also be drawn into a wire .000005 of an inch thick to a length of sixty-two miles long! The total world's production of gold, so far, would equal the size of a cube sixty-six (66) feet all four sides, with sixty percent (60%) of the gold mined since 1950!" Of course, **Randy** had an objective with these enticements for at the April 14, 2009 meeting, **James Obler** presented a program on 'Southern Gold', which "expanded our horizons on gold coins from the mints of New Orleans, Dahlonega, and Charlotte."

Fremont Coin Club

The FCC's March 24, 2009 meeting heard Your Editor expound on 'Five Things Found Around My Desk': "items include a Golden Gate Bridge Bond, Prohibition Prescription Forms, philatelic-numismatic item with an Iowa theme, Calgary, Alberta, Canada Tower auctioned by the Canadian Numismatic Association (CNA), and the California Western artist, Jo Mora." All items from around his desk in his den, and each had a story. As **Matt Hutchinson**, FCC's DOUBLE EAGLE Editor, remarked, "I never knew doctors could circumvent Prohibition with a prescription." April 2009 was a busy month for the FCC: **Briita Ehlers** spoke on 'Odd Denominations' at the April 14, 2008 meeting, and she coordinated the Club's National Coin Week display at Fremont, California's Bank of the West, and later April 28, 2009 meeting was the Club's Super Auction. Earlier, at the February 10, 2009 meeting, **Roger Lyles** spoke on 'Cherrypicking': "he said a true cherrypick is thought to be one thing and later discovered to be something of greater rarity or value. Over the years, he has also discovered an 1872 Two Cent, 1909 VDB Cent varieties, 1830 Half Dime, and various Bust coinage varieties." Lastly, FCC was mighty proud that last December 8, 2009, NCNA President **Harry W. Davis** traveled to Fremont, California and presented the 2008 'Miller Medals' onto **Donald S. and Briita M. Ehlers**, the first-time that a couple was honored with this esteemed recognition. *Note:* While a couple, each earned and was presented his and her respective 'Miller Medal' individually.

Gateway Coin Club

Has begun planning and preparations for its September 19, 2009 Coin Show, with **John Hoffman**, **Bruce Frohman**, and **Craig Blake** the primary coordinators. At the March 19, 2009 GCC meeting, **Chris Yonan** presented "a very informative and colorful talk about grading Indian Head Cents," and he returned to the April 17, 2009 meeting with an equal program about Buffalo Nickels. GCC email contact is ffrohman@hotmail.com.

Liberty Numismatic Society

The LNS's February 18, 2009 meeting had Vice-President **Bill Hurja** "deliver an entertaining and instructive talk about 'Error Coins'. Through his slides, members learned about many of the ways that the United States Mint employees and their equipment manage to create interesting mistakes, some of which have escaped from one of the Mints for us to collect and to enjoy." The LNS' March 18, 2009 meeting heard **Jim Rosen**, who serves the LNS as both a Director and its Medals Coordinator, speak on 'Lincoln Cents': he "entertained and educated member about the Cents . . . **Jim's** excellent presentation made liberal reference to the book, 'The Complete Guide To Lincoln Cents', by LNS Fellow, **David W. Lange**. In addition to tracing the one hundred year history of the Lincoln Cent, **Jim** also exhibited the new Lincoln Commemorative Dollar, which has been sold-out by the United States Mint." Most recently, **Michael S. Turrini**, combined a visit to the San Mateo coastline and the LNS, and graced the April 15, 2009 meeting with his presentation about 'The Carnegie Medal', the April 15th date being the actual anniversary date for the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission. He noted that the recent downturns and disruptions in our nation's economy have also caused curtailments with the Hero Fund Commission, for the first time in its century of existence; no well-prepared Annual Report was done for 2008 and the monetary gift to heroes has been reduced. The Commission did provide, however, brochures and copies of the 2007 Annual Report for the presentation, and **Michael** shared and showed his Carnegie Medals, both the common bronze and rare silver issues.

Livermore Valley Coin Club

Story Time: Years ago, **Ruth M. Phillips**, then current California State Numismatic Association (CSNA) President, extolled in a message in THE CALIFORNIA NUMISMATIST, that when you attend a local or any coin show, 'show' your support and readily take a chance with the drawing (raffle). The odds might just favor you. Well, NCNAers, Your Editor, now being the current CSNA President, has to 'practice what she preached'. So, for the LVCC March 8, 2009 Forty-Sixth Annual Coin Show, at which Your Editor staffed a 'Youth Table', he also purchased Show Drawing tickets and won, to his shock, the First Prize: a choice high grade 1924 P Saint Gaudens Double Eagle! *Wow!* Appreciation is also expressed to NCNA President **Harry W. Davis** and **Irene Carrillo** who attended a LVCC meeting and delivered the prize, safe and secure. *Sidebar:* NCNAers, there is no feeling, for a committed hobbyist, that can surpass the joy and excitement of winning a Double Eagle!

Pacific Coast Numismatic Society

Well, NCNAers, My Admonishment In the January 2009 NCNA HEADS AND TALES Has Reached PCNS: It has resumed sending the necessary copy of its monthly untitled newsletter. Last March 25, 2009, **Dr. Michael E. Wehner**, PCNS Past President, gave a great presentation, '*Tokens and Medals of the Wild West*': "starting with the Post Trader tokens of the Territorial Period, **Michael** illustrated his presentation with tokens that he has handled in the past. Moving on to the most popular type of Western Token, those with the word 'saloon' actually on the token, he provided an opportunity to tell the story about the 'Old Ship Saloon' in San Francisco, California. This Saloon, still operating at the corner of Battery and Pacific Streets, was originally housed in an abandoned Gold Ship sailing vessel. The current building sits on top of the vessel's remains. **Michael** also showed Power Point images of tokens from Tombstone, Arizona, maybe the wildest town in the Wild West." Wyatt Earp's brother, Virgil Earp, was the actual United States Marshall in Tombstone. "Later, Virgil had a bar in Sawtelle, California, never the Yountville, California Veteran's Home. He issued two tokens, now very rare, from his establishment. One of these tokens was 'good for a ride', probably from the Veteran's Home to his saloon."

Peninsula Coin Club

Recent 'Kudos' go to PCC Members **Bruce Greenblatt**, for his winning design to the 2009 PCC Club Medal issue, and to **Ron Ikebe**, for "his fascinating talk on taking delivery of silver and palladium bullion from the commodities marketplace" at the Club's February 9, 2009 meeting. At the January 12, 2009, the two 'off-medal sets' "were sold for \$70.00 per set after spirited bidding . . . to the winning bidders, **Tom Cascone** and **Howard Wheeler**."

Redwood Empire Coin Club

Your Editor will let the March RECC newsletter speak: "**Jan D. Henke** brought his wife to the meeting for the first time, after thirty-four (34) years of marriage. She said that she would attend when she retired! **Jan** apparently bragged about her to the Club. **Don Murphy** brought his wife, too, to the meeting, on their Forty-Eighth (48th) Anniversary, Congratulations . . . January 5, 1994 was **Merle Avila's** first official month as President for the Redwood Empire Coin Club . . . speaking of our President, **Merle** received a nice walnut wall plaque in honor of his fifteen (15) years as our President. **Merle** stated there were only six (6) active members when he first joined. At that time, they did not bring coins, for they were afraid something would happen." Continuing, for the March 2009 RECC Coin Show, "the top seller was **Curtis Smith** with \$1200.00 sold, and second with **Lee H. Gong**, with \$450.00 sold, and **David Avila** with \$325.00 sold. **Dr. Charles Catlett**, RECC Editor, added to the newsletter with this observation: "also, in the current CALIFORNIA NUMISMATIST is a nice picture of **Michael S. Turrini**, in drag. His scarf clashed with his dress, be he can be forgiven. I will not say why he was thus dressed, other than to say it was related to a skit from the television series, which had a theme song of 'Suicide Is Painless'. Now, how is that for trivia! The first person to tell me the name of that series at the April [8th] meeting will receive a prize." The American Numismatic Association (ANA) honored the RECC on the occasion of its Sixtieth (60th) Anniversary, 1949-2009, with a special plaque from ANA President **Barry S. Stuppler**, via ANA Governor **Dr. Walter A. Ostromecki, Jr.**: "accepting the award were RECC President **Merle Avila** and Vice-President **Lee H. Gong**. They were rightfully proud of the Club and all its accomplishments over the years."

Reno Coin Club

March 3, 2009 RCC meeting enriched one member: "on a snowy, rainy, cold evening, **Andre Azzam** was one of the twenty brave souls, who weathered the elements to attend the monthly meeting. His Reward? The Quarter Pot, which had grown to \$43.00. Congratulations, **Andre**." At this same meeting, **Paul Williams** "lead a discussion about the role of the United States Mint in numismatics and whether the sale of their products hurts or benefits consumers, who are taxpayers and provide the funds in the first place." This is a program quite worthy of local coin clubs here in our Golden State. The RCC is raising funds to pay for the die toward the Club's Silver Jubilee. Twenty-Fifth (25th) Anniversary and these RCC members have been quite generous: **Doug Larson**, with \$100.00, and **Roger Edwards** and **Jou Tchao** at \$20.00 each.

Sacramento Valley Coin Club

In the April 2009 SVCC NEWSLETTER was an article, taken from About.com Coins, by a Susan Headley. Your Editor will only expert her main points from this informative 'Top Five Ways To Avoid Fake Coins On eBay': *one, never buy coins from Chinese sellers, two, never buy coins from sellers who buy from Chinese sources, three, never spend more that \$50.00 for a raw coin, four, do not fall for stories and always get a guarantee, and five, always pay with a credit card.* Excellent Article. An earlier report noted that the SVCC had elected its 2009 Executive Officers, and they are: **Bob Shanks**, *President*, **Stewart Evans**, *Vice-President*, **Bob Simonoff**, *Treasurer*, **John Owings**, *Recording Secretary*, and **Penny Klagenberg**, *Corresponding Secretary*. Outgoing SVCC President **John Bither** awarded plaques to two devoted SVCC members: **Natalie Herr**, "for her outstanding work in facilitating the smooth functioning of the semiannual coin shows," and "to **Tom Bowers** for his outstanding contributions to the educational mission of the Club." There was also some humor at the SVCC January 14, 2009 Installation Dinner: "on a lighter note, **Pattie Waite** gave 'Medals of Award' to the outgoing Club Board of Directors and 'Medals of Expectation' to the incoming Board. These 'medals' were made of chocolate, with Bob Shanks taking two."

San Francisco Coin Club

Continues As Best. Its great leader, **Jack G. Trad**, declined an additional term, since he has a taxi business and is involved with statewide veteran organizations. **Lyle Okamoto**, combined Secretary and TWO CENTS WORTH Editor, and **Michael S. Turrini**, Treasurer, united to continue the SFCC into 2009. The SFCC is quite proud that two of its members are involved with the California State Numismatic Association (CSNA), both named 'Michael': **Michael S. Turrini** and **Dr. Michael E. Wehner**. Seeking some fun, and food, the SFCC upcoming May 22, 2009 meeting will gather at 'Tennessee Grill', among the most famous of San Francisco, California eateries, with a Show 'n Tell theme of 'S-Mint Coins'.

San Jose Coin Club

Your Editor would like to recognize the San Jose Coin Club, and its TODO DINERO and Website, for the broad and positive support and promotion of northern California local coin club activities and events. Webmasters, **Sally and Ryan Johnson**, do an outstanding service and job, and NCNAers are welcomed to visit www.sanjosecoinclub.org. **Bill Hurja** spoke at the March 11, 2009 meeting with fine reviews: "thank you, **Bill Hurja**, for the great presentation, 'Part #2: United States Die Varieties'. At our meeting, Vice-President **Bill Hurja** was well prepared with a slide show, some samples, and ready answers to all questions. Thanks, **Bill**, for the interesting and informative talk on a subject that we all wanted to know more about." On a personal note, Your Editor has been quite gratified and surprised by the kind reviews and reporting in the recent TODO DINERO about himself, which has also flattered an ego! *Anyway, Thanks, SJCC!* Speaking of **Ryan Johnson**, 18, he graduates this June 8, 2009 from Prospect High School, San Jose, California, and has already signed-up with the United States Marines. Several SJCC members trekked to Vallejo, California on Sunday, March 29, 2009, and among those were EP 'Wally' Wallaker, Larry Benson, Ray, Sally, and Ryan Johnson, Donald S. and Briita M. Ehlers, Gary Acquistapace, William and Daniel Shattuc, Charles and Dorothy Call, Donald R. Barsi, Edgar D. Fulwider, and Gordon R. Donnell, to name some. The reason a special celebration and honor held at the Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum.

Solano Silver Round Club

First, the SSRC did a Silver Jubilee silver round in honor of its twenty-five (25) years, and due a change in officers, the actual year, 2008, was delayed to 2009. The mintage was only thirty-eight (38), of which three are for the archives and one extra. This is absolutely the lowest mintage of any issue of the SSRC since its founding in 1983. *Second*, the SSRC had some new personnel added or replaced on its rosters: **Robert W. Belleau, Sr.**, is the Club's new Vice-President, **Marie-Williams**, a founder and Charter Member, will coordinate the 50/50 Drawing, and **Edwin T. Hoffmark, Jr.**, will facilitate the monthly Drawing (raffle). *Third*, the monthly SILVER NOTES would welcome notices of local coin club medal issues and Order Forms: contact Secretary and Editor **Jan D. Henke** at 'PO Box 3518, Fairfield, California, 94533-0351'.

Stanislaus County Coin Club

Your Editor always enjoys learning and reading about other local coin clubs with 'Other Hobbies Night'. The SCCC did this at its March 11, 2009 meeting, with **Powell Zwicker**, *Various Pins*, **John Hoffman**, *Dog Licenses*, **Mike Tandy**, *1930s and 1940s Comedians*, **John Soria**, *Knives and Old Stock Certificates*, **Daron Standish**, *World Wars I and II Military Helmets*, **Dolly and Rick Sauls**, *Disney Miniatures and Side Show Figurines*, **Mark Garcia**, *Ancient Roman Artifacts*, **Hal DeBoard**, *Golf Balls*, with names of famous golfers or with advertisements, **Juan Albara**, *Action Figures*, **Aaron Brown**, *Star War Game Cards*, **Randy McCoy**, *Rock, Gems, and Minerals*, as originally collected by his parents. Your Editor has come to enjoy reading the 'President's Message' by SCCC President **Aaron Brown**, as from April 2009 THE GOLD STRIKE: "Welcome to the Chinese 'Year of the Lincoln'. Whether it is on Cents, Dollars, or National Coin Week itself, Lincoln is everywhere this year. Poor Benjamin Franklin must be feeling a little under appreciated. He hit the three hundred (300) year mark in 2006, but all he got was a pair of Silver Dollars. Why not series of special reverses on the Half Dollars, or perhaps a denomination that circulates? To which Lincoln responds, 'Go Fly A Kite, Ben! I' Freakin' Lincoln! Benjamin or Roosevelt and Franklins ain't got nothing on me!' Okay, maybe he would not say that, or, at least, he would insist on a pair of shades to complement his stylin' stove-pipe first." LOL!

Vallejo Numismatic Society

Also had 'Other Hobbies Night', back at its January 7, 2009 meeting: **Michael S. Turrini**, *San Francisco, California's Playland*, **Dr. Rodney W. Baker**, *Chocolate*, **Lorie Berry**, *Photography*, **Josef Klaus**, *Photography*, **Robert Florkowski**, *Trap Shooting*, and **Harry W. Davis**, *Greyhound*. The Show 'n Tell Theme for the February 4, 2009 meeting was 'My Favorite Coin': **Michael S. Turrini**, *the 1946 Iowa Half Dollars* [Now, What Else Would It Be?], **John P. Russell, Jr.**, *1811 'Tall 5s' Half Eagle*, **Robert E. Sather**, *Norwegian Two Kroner*, dated 1914 and lost several times, **LOTTE SATHER**, *Love Tokens*, **Timothy Klein**, *Short 20th Century Type Set*, **JOSEPH WALTER**, *Three-Legged Buffalo Nickel*, in MS-61, **Herman E. Berry, Jr.**, *Silver Eagle*, **Lori Berry**, *Carson City 'CC' Silver Dollars*, **Robert E. Luna**, *Short Set Buffalo Nickels*, **William F. Bartz**, *Control Venting Machine Tokens*, **Jan D. Henke**, *HSNA 2009 Medal*, **Josef Klaus**, *British World War II precursor MPC*, and **Harry W. Davis**, *'Good For' at 'Harry Davis'*. Continuing, the Show 'n Tell theme at the VNS' March 1, 2009 meeting was 'Anything Green': **Michael S. Turrini**, *the \$100,000 Gold Certificate*, **Josef Klaus**, *Green Color Money*, **Kenneth B. Spingola**, *1723 Hibernia One Half Cent*, **John P. Russell, Jr.**, *Oregon Bucks*, **Jon-Maria Marish**, *Territorial Quarter Album*, **Michael Butler**, *Irish Coinage*, **Elaine Florokwski**, *MPC*, **Charles F. Call**, *Replica Gold Certificate*, **Terry Stewart**, *Assorted Large Size Currency*, **Charles Gardner**, *1910 and 1912 Lincoln Cents found with metal detector*, and **Dr. Rodney W. Baker**, *St. Patrick's Coins*. One of the nice attractions at the monthly VNS meetings is the snacks, treats, and refreshments. The aforementioned March 1, 2009 meeting had really a lot of food provided by **Karen and Thomas Smith**, **John P. Russell, Jr.**, **Kathleen, nee Nancy, Walsh**, **Michael Butler**, **Michael S. Turrini**, **Robert W. Belleau, Sr.**, **Edwin T. Hoffmark, Jr.**, **Carol Waltner**, **Terry Stewart**, **Timothy Klein**, and **James Maday**, with the main food festive feast facilitated by **Robert E. and Lotte Sather**, 'the California Viking' and 'Love Token Aficionado'.

COIN SHOW SCHEDULE

These coin Club show listings are provided as a free service to the numismatic community by the Northern California Numismatic Association. Show listings are updated quarterly and are available without cost to member Coin Clubs. If you would like to have a show listed, please send all pertinent show information early to: N.C.N.A., Fred G. van den Haak, P.O. Box 60484, Palo Alto, Ca. 49306-0484. You may also e mail the information to: fredvdh@gmail.com

- June 28, 2009 ALAMEDA. Alameda Coin Club Show, Alameda High School Gym, on Oak Street at Central, Alameda. Bourse and Info: Tom Gesner, P.O. Box 1230, El Cerrito, Ca. 94530. Phone: (510) 923-4216 (days).
- July 11-12, 2009 MODESTO. Stanislaus County Coin Club, Modesto Coin, Stamp & Collectibles Expo, Modesto Centre Plaza, 10th and K Streets, Modesto. Bourse: Sandy Woodward, P.O. Box 355, Turlock, Ca. 95381. Phone: (209) 668-3682
- July 25-6, 2009 FREMONT. Fremont Coin Club 37th Annual Show, Elk's Hall, 38991 Farwell Drive, Fremont, Ca. Information: (510) 792-1511; Bourse: Vince LaCariere, P.O. Box 1401, Fremont, Ca. 94538.
- Aug. 16, 2009 FAIRFIELD. Fairfield Coin Club 20th Annual Coin Show, Willow Room, Fairfield Community Center (downtown), 1000 East Kentucky off Pennsylvania. Bourse Coordinator: Robert Belleau (707) 644-6232, P.O.Box 944, Fairfield, CA 94533-0094
- Sept. 26-7, 2009 VALLEJO. Nor-Cal VIII Coin Show, Elk's Lodge #559, 2800 Redwood Parkway, Vallejo, Ca. Open Saturday 10:00 AM-5:00 PM and Sunday 10:00 AM-4:00 PM. Bourse: Harry Davis, 2900 Georgia, Vallejo, Ca. 94591-6602 Phone: 707-642-0216. Information: Michael S. Turrini, P.O. Box 4104, Vallejo, Ca. 94590-0410. Phone: 707-246-6327, e mail: EMPORORI@juno.com, or Gordon Donnell, P.O. Box 20372, Oakland, Ca. 94620-0372, Phone: 510-547-0158.

- Oct. 2-3, 2009 SACRAMENTO. Sacramento Valley Coin Club Annual Fall Coin Show, The Dante Club, 2330 Fair Oaks Blvd., Sacramento. Bourse: David Herr, P.O. Box 232, Auburn, Ca. 95604. Ph. 530-885-9050 or E Mail: geee@jps.net Admission \$2, under 18 free
- Oct. 10-11, 2009 CONCORD. Diablo Numismatic Society 13th Annual Contra Costa Coin Show, Holiday Inn, 1050 Burnett Avenue at Diamond Boulevard, just off Freeway 680 in Concord. Bourse: Bill Green (925) 351-7605. e mail: greenwj@aol.com (Admission \$2)
- Nov. 15, 2009 SAN JOSE. Peninsula Coin Club 30th Annual Coins and Collectibles Show, Napredak Hall, 770 Montague Expressway, San Jose. Bourse: Fred van den Haak, P.O. Box 60484, Palo Alto, Ca. 94306. Phone: (650) 498-4158 E Mail: fredvdh@gmail.com
- Nov. 14, 2010 SAN JOSE. Peninsula Coin Club 31th Annual Coins and Collectibles Show, Napredak Hall, 770 Montague Expressway, San Jose. Bourse: Fred van den Haak, P.O. Box 60484, Palo Alto, Ca. 94306. Phone: (650) 498-4158 E Mail: fredvdh@gmail.com

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